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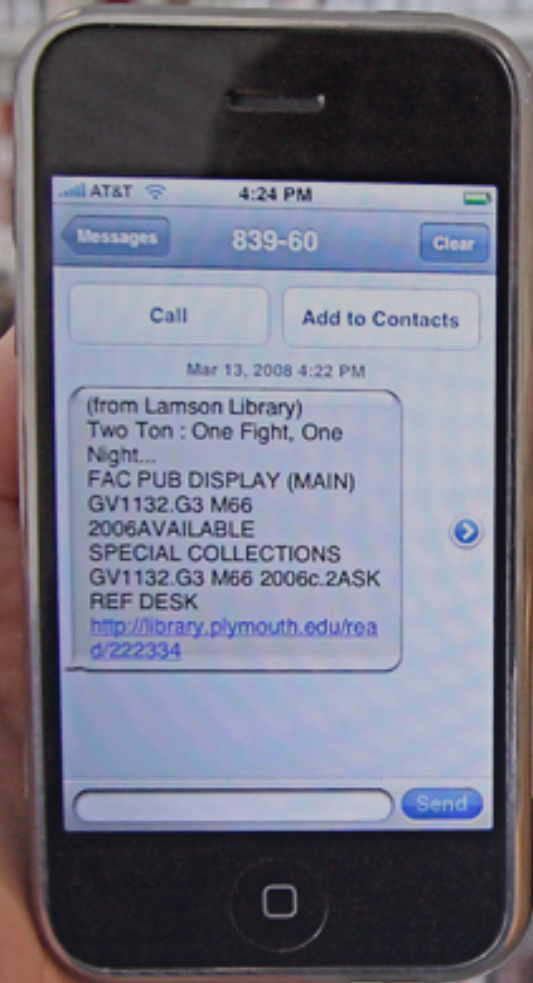
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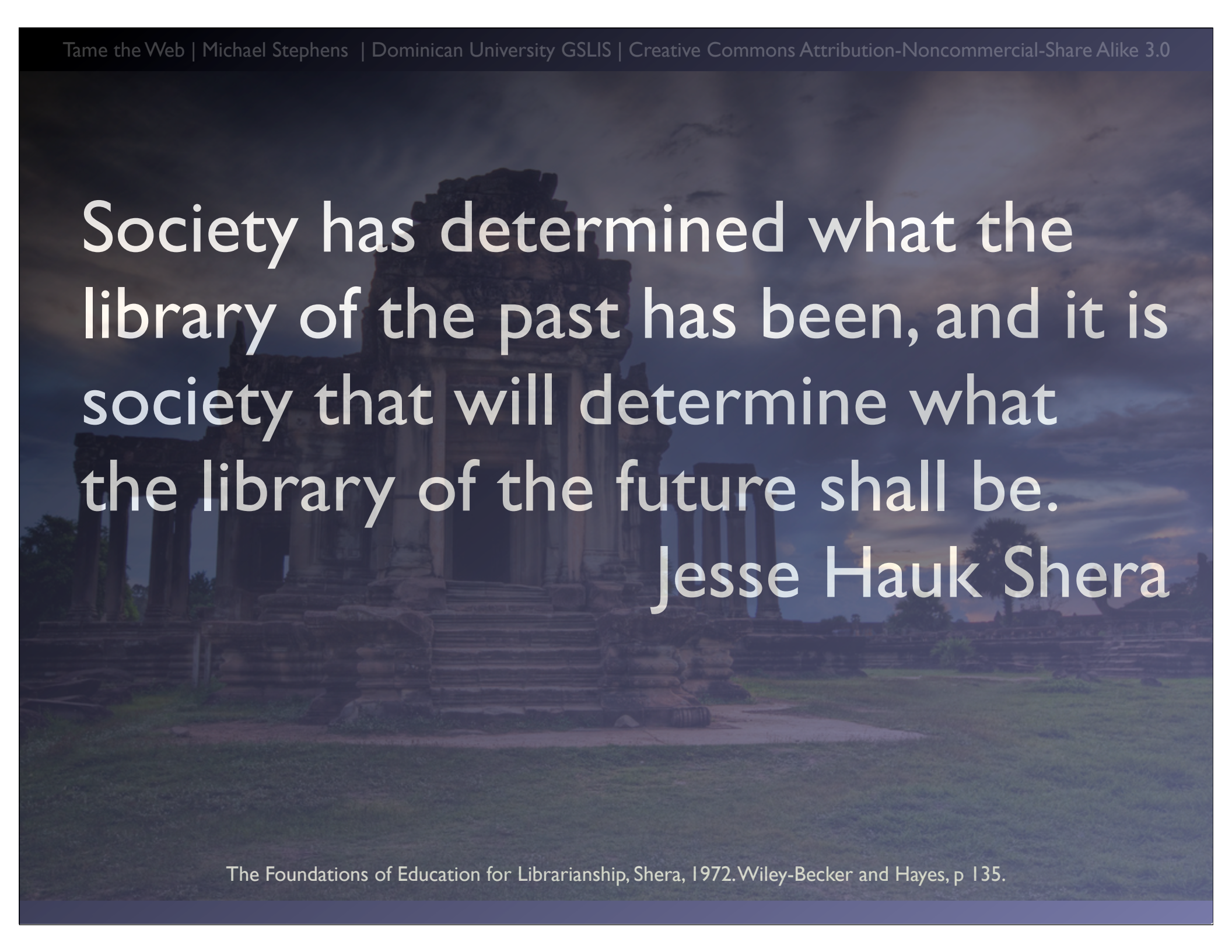
Every resource its user.



Save the time of the user.


The background of the slide is a large, abstract sculpture made of many small, colorful letters and words. The letters are in various colors like blue, green, red, and yellow, and are arranged in a way that makes the sculpture look like a growing organism or a complex, interconnected network. The words are also visible, though they are small and often partially obscured by other letters. The overall effect is one of a vast, ever-growing collection of information.

The Library is a
growing organism.



Society has determined what the library of the past has been, and it is society that will determine what the library of the future shall be.

Jesse Hauk Shera



There is much greater
opportunity to bring
service to wherever
potential users of library
service happen to be.

Michael Buckland



The Web exists as a place where
people meet and socialize but it
does not conform to our
accepted ideas about space and
time.

David Weinberger
Small Pieces Loosely Joined

Tribe: a group of people
connected to one another,
connected to a leader, and
connected to an idea.

Seth Godin
Tribes

The Transformed & Hyperlinked Library Trends, Tools, Transparency

Michael Stephens | Assistant Professor

Dominican University GSLIS

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These things I know.



The evolving Web is open, participatory & social.



It can provide rich
user experiences.

These things are true.

Trends toward increased information self-service and seamlessness are clearly evident in the survey results.



People start with search engines: 1% start at the library web site

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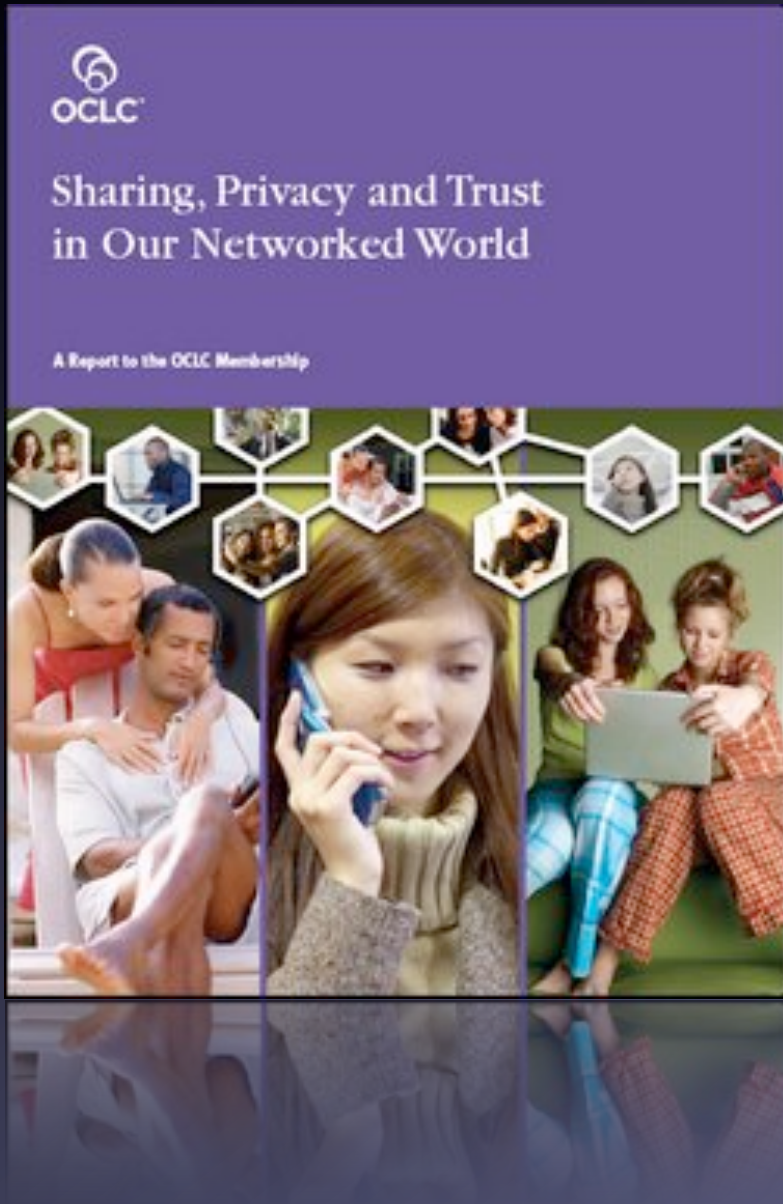
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Low awareness & use for
“Electronic information resources”

“Everytime people
really like something,
we get rid of it.”

Michael the Eavesdropper



The percentage of Internet users that have used a library Web site has decreased.

Library Web site use declined to 20% of the general public.

These things scare me.

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in the Library will be BANNED
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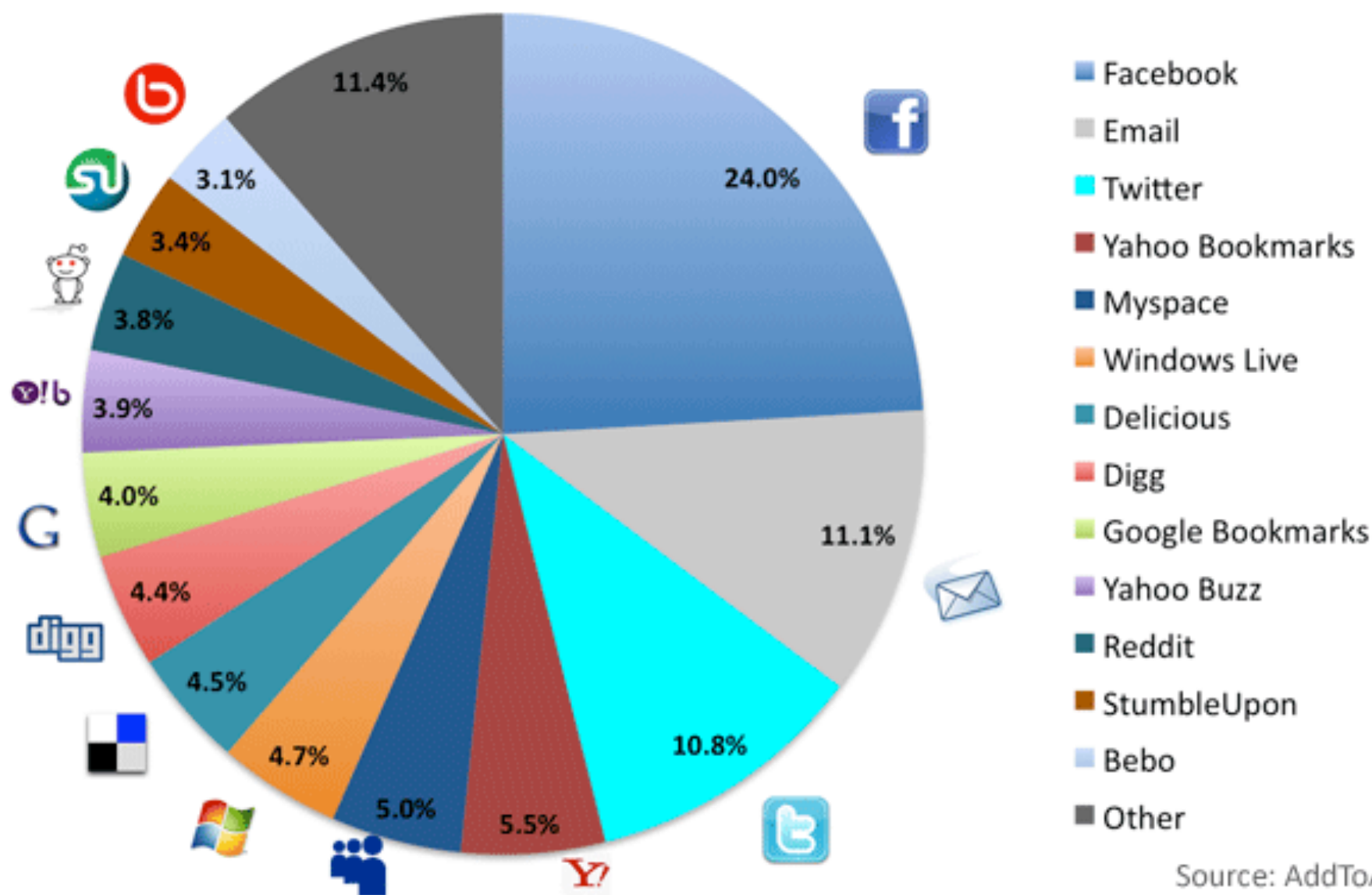
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The Technology Storm

- Locked-down library web sites held captive by overzealous IT departments or marketing/PR offices.
- Technology decisions and plans without staff buy-in.
- A siege mentality because of concerns about security, privacy, and safety of data.

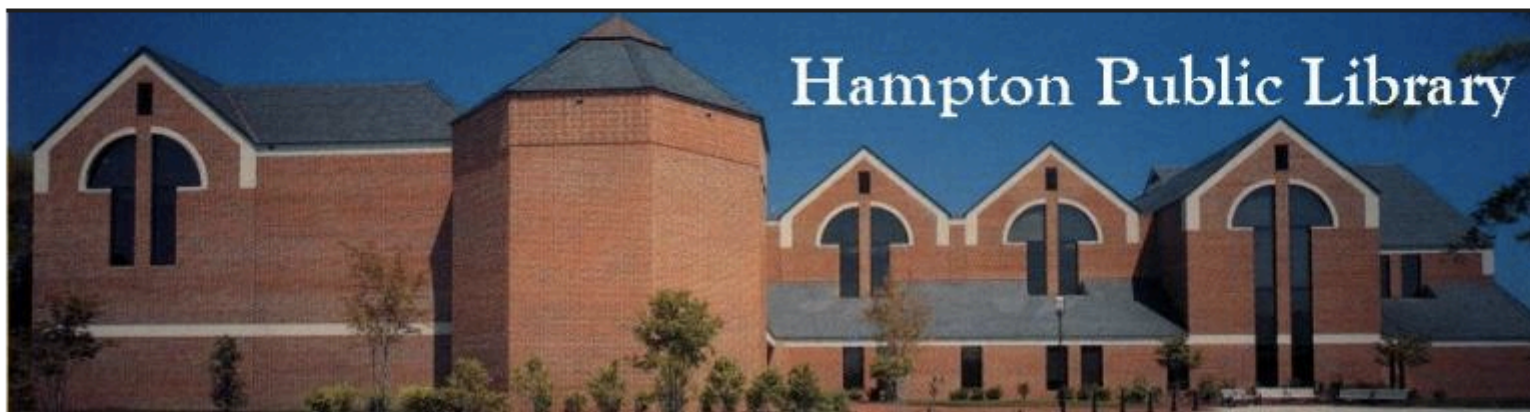
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iWriteHampton: Local Authors @ the Hampton Public Library

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SEPTEMBER 15, 2009

Lori M. Hobson

From her book *Momma Sayings and Life Reflections*:

What does success look like to you? How do you define it? Is it writing a book, building a business or making a certain amount of money? Clearly success looks different to different people. Equally clear is that success looks quite different from the inside than it looks from the outside. Those of us who are working to build something for ourselves and our children can relate to the long hours, setbacks and disappointments. We know what it took to get that house, that car, those clothes, etc.

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The type (of) films I've seen lately

Written by Barbara T. on 04/30/2009

Last night I attended a social/professional event where the highlight of the evening was the showing of the documentary "Farewell Etain Shrdlu." It's a short and wonderful piece about *The New York Times* and the final day that they used Linotype...it was the switchover from hot metal type to computers. I think that many of you would love to see this historical gem and I will make it a point to try and get a copy of this documentary film for our Library. In the meantime...*this just in...*



Helvetica is a typeface...a font. Helvetica is also a movie...a surprisingly interesting and fun documentary about this typeface which was created in Switzerland in 1957...and is *everywhere* (print ads, signage, the NYC subways...). The origins of the font and the strong opinions of graphic designers is fascinating to learn and entertaining from beginning to end.

The biggest surprise about this film for me is how I am now noticing typefaces in my everyday travels. Now, when I read a sign, I will take in all of its information, and sometimes will hear the little voice in my head also register "Helvetica."

Check it out!

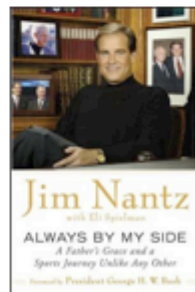
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Getting to Know the Glades: Play

Written by JanetD on 04/29/2009

We've seen a dramatic (and welcome) change of weather recently, going from overcoats and umbrellas to shorts and sandals in just the past few weeks. That means it's finally time to start thinking about summer activities like Little League, camping, boating and swimming, golf, tennis and horseback riding, even just taking a leisurely walk around the neighborhood after dinner.



You'll find all of our books about outdoor activities - whether you're a spectator or participant - in the non-fiction section called Play. We've taken our books on coaching youth teams, the history of the World Series, college football, and other sports-related topics and created a browsing area, or "glade." We also tucked biographies of notable athletes and coaches, and hobbies (such as stamp collecting and crossword puzzles), on the Play shelves as well, so it's all within easy reach. Just follow the Dewey decimal numbers once you've found the glade!

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A Road Map to Transparency

- Multiple avenues for open communication
- Visit the front lines regularly
- Cross train
- Provide Learning for all staff
- Involve staff in governance
- Open planning, cross-functional

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Never lose a chance of saying a kind word. -- William Thackeray

MAY 5, 2009

May - Member Questions - Expired Holds Reports

LCT has received three questions regarding the new Clean Hold Shelf - Expired Reports now being generated by Sirsi. Because these questions were related, they'll be answered together.

All answers by Joni Klemencic, Automated Services

1. What does staff do if an item on the Expired Holds Report is not on the shelf?

According to the [Clean Hold Shelf - Expired](#) procedure, staff would put that item in missing and override subsequent holds.

2. Is there a way that we can have 24 Hr. Holds show up on the Expired Holds Report?

No, because there is nothing done in Sirsi for 24 Hr. Holds. The report is generated by data from Sirsi, without that data, it can't be added to the report.

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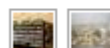
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Sarah C.
Seattle, WA

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★★★★★

02/07/2008

This is my favorite library in the world. When I lived in the suburbs, this was my happiest hangout.

The environment is phenomenal, the book selection is decent, and you can rent DVDs for a buck. There's even an indoor water fountain/courtyard type place, conveniently located near the magazine section.

One of my other favorite things is that you can check out books at a machine, without having to interact with a librarian (a huge bonus if you're shy, hate small talk, or are getting a stack of chick lit...not that I would ever do that. Of course not.)

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Sarah B.
Richmond, VA

★★★★★ 3/1/2009

I have recently rediscovered my love for the local library and so this branch, only 3 blocks from my apartment is my new favorite place to go after work. They are open late on Mondays and Wednesdays.

I doubt I'll be back at the movie rental places any time soon because you can take out 6 movies at a time for 2 weeks! all free, free, free!

Books are cool too.

The librarians are all very kind and helpful.

I also like the westover hills branch.

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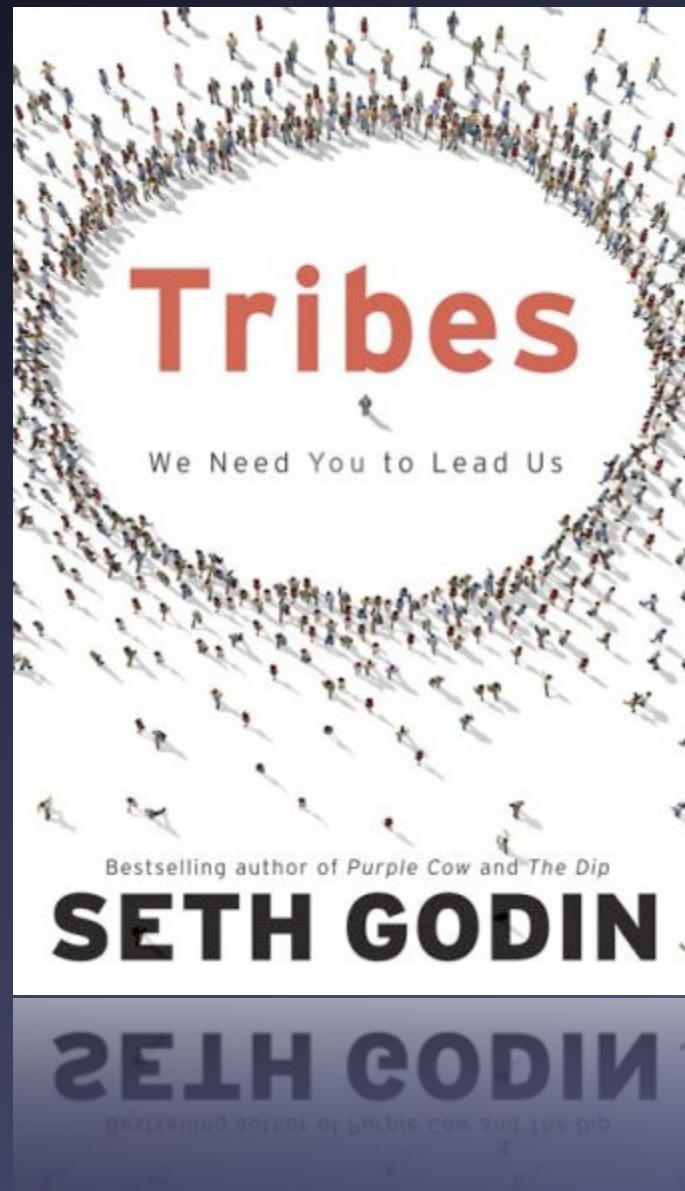

**The Orange
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The Library makes Connections



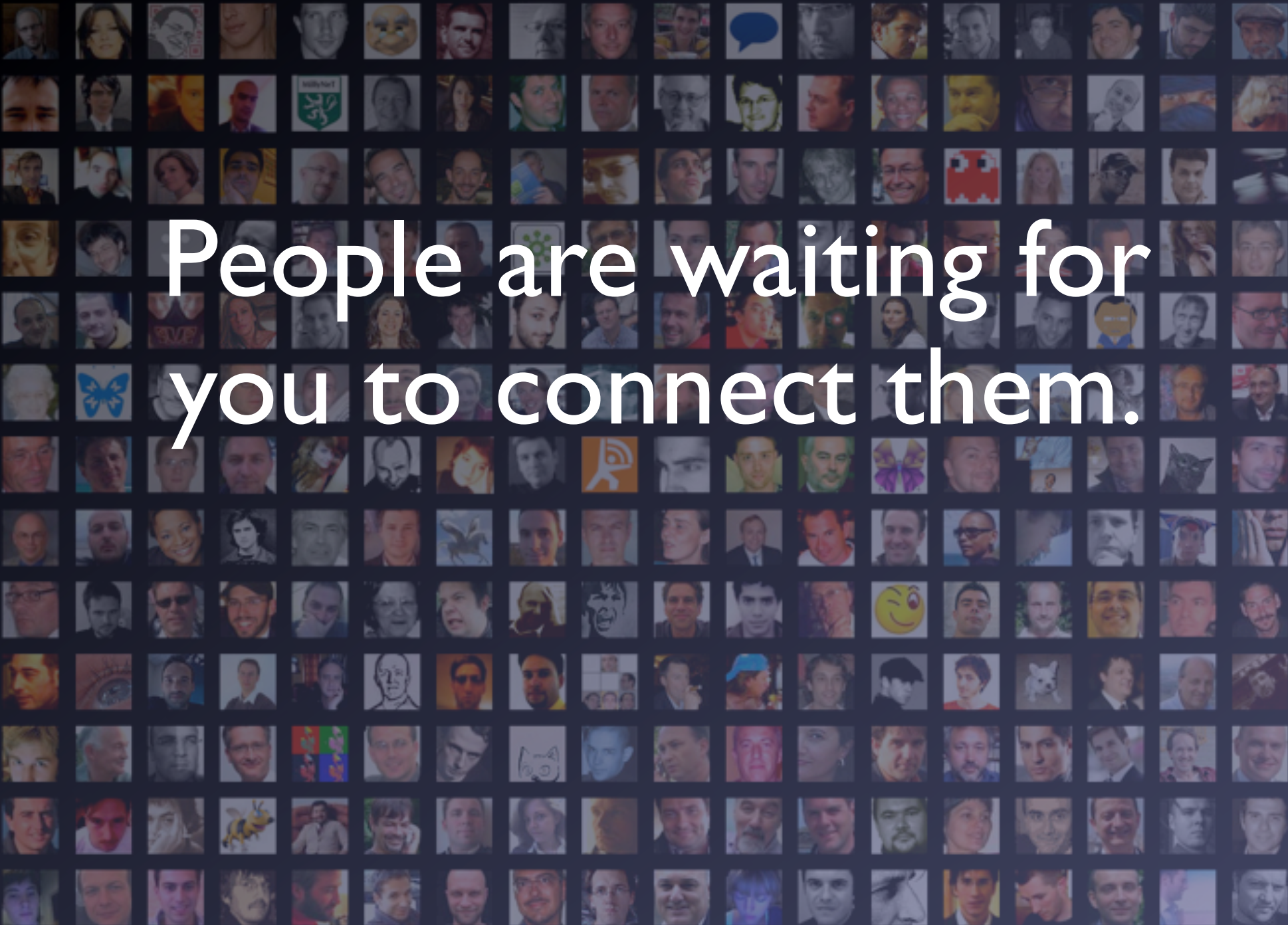
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A shared interest & a
way to communicate.

Tribes used to be local...

Some are stuck.

- Archaic rules.
- Not only avoiding change but fighting against it.
- Fear: what will boss say? Get in trouble?



People are waiting for you to connect them.

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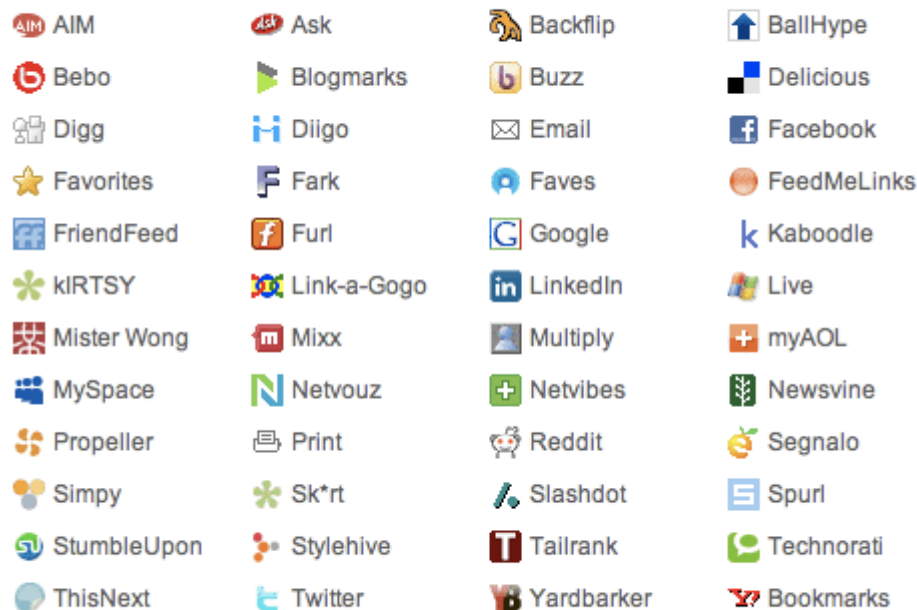
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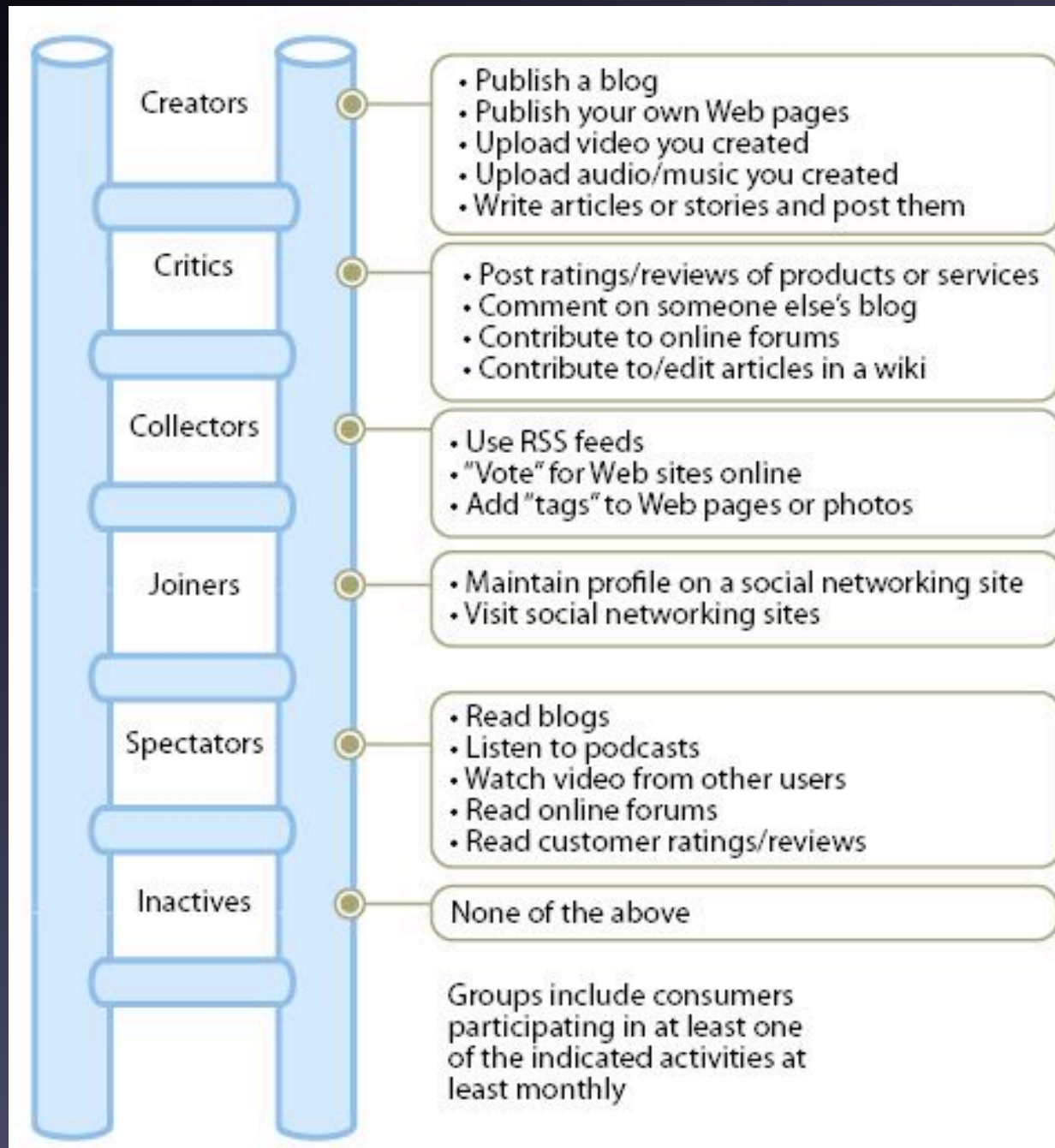
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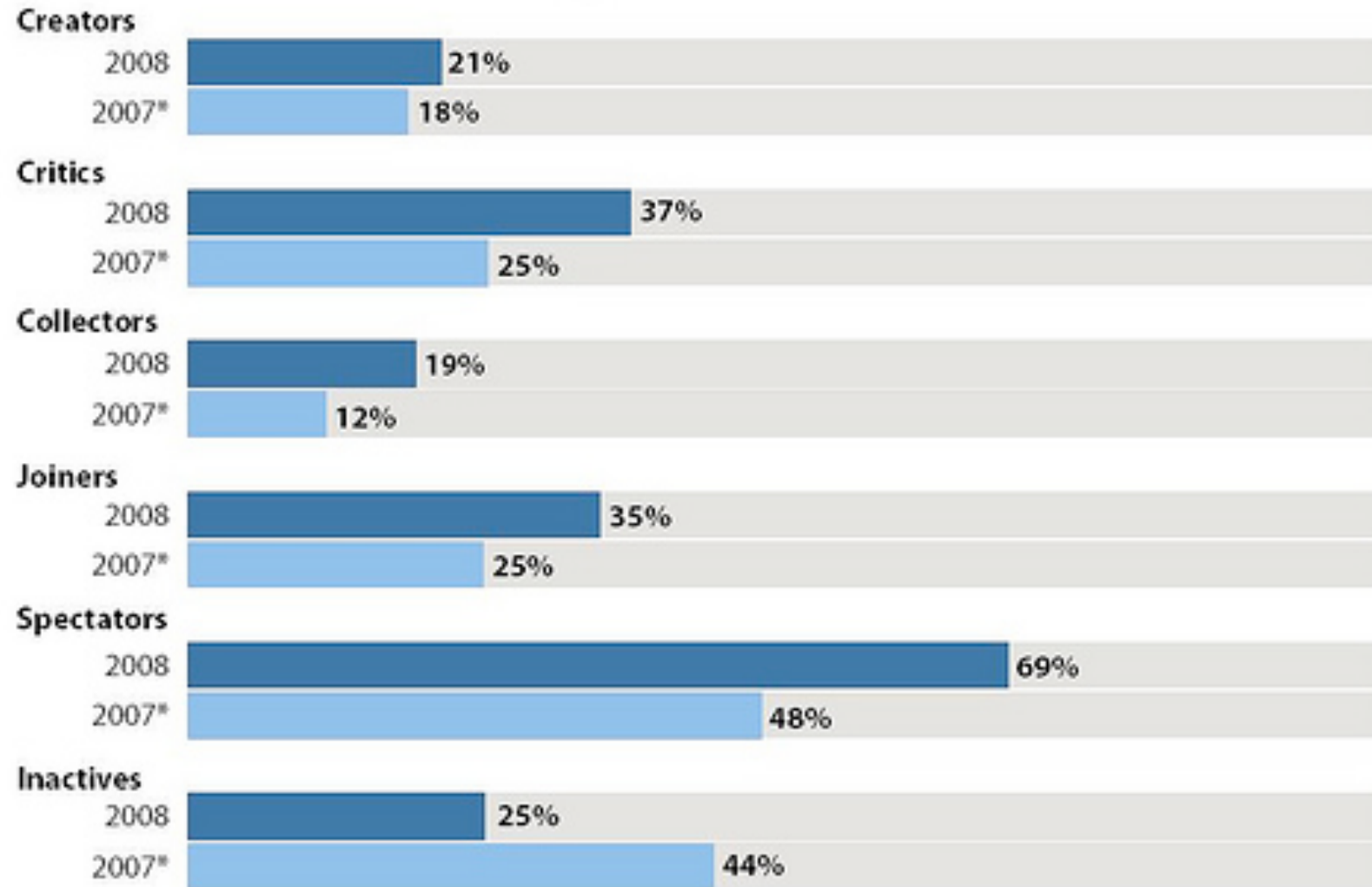
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Exhibition: Bram Stoker's Dracula

National Library of Ireland,
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all day

Wedding of Bram Stoker
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Dublin 2

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6:00pm

Dracula's Irish and Literary Heritage – a seminar
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138-144 Pearse St., Dublin 2
4 April, 2009
9:30am

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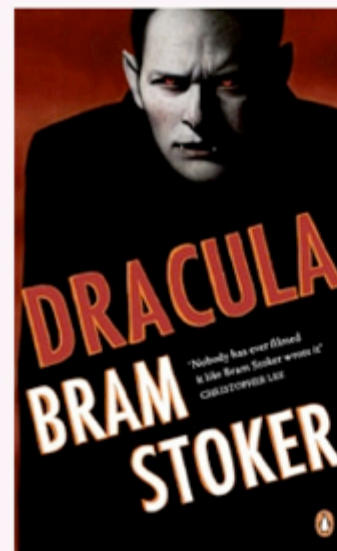
'Dracula' announced as book for April 2009!

February 21, 2009 by admin

Dracula by Bram Stoker

The chosen book for the 2009 Dublin: One City, One Book is Dracula by Dublin author Bram Stoker.

Count Dracula's castle is a hellish world where night is day, pleasure is pain and the blood of the innocent prized above all. Young Jonathan Harker approaches the gloomy gates with no idea what he is about to face. And back in England eerie incidents are unfolding as strange puncture marks appear on a young woman's neck. But can Harker's fiancée be saved? And where is the evil Dracula?
(From cover of Penguin Classics Edition)



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March 13, 2009 by admin

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Library Updates

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- New post: The Leslie Shepard Bram Stoker Collection (<http://tinyurl.com/cpcjpl>) — 2 weeks 2 days ago
- The Sunday Tribune are running a Short Story Competition to celebrate Dublin: One City One Book. See <http://tinyurl.com/vbgdnnc> — 3 weeks 2 days ago
- New post: Gallery (<http://dublinonecityonebook.ie/Gallery>) — 3 weeks 3 days ago

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Who's the best Dracula?:

- ☐ Klaus Kinski
- ☐ Frank Langella
- ☐ Christopher Lee
- ☐ Bela Lugosi

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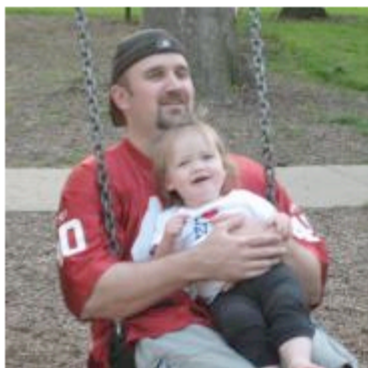
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Shawn M. Snyder's profile changed

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Profile

Status:

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About Me:

I am currently a web developer working for the Naperville Park District. I have been a part of Roselle my whole life and have deep roots there. I went to Spring Hill, Roselle Middle, and Lake Park High School

The best thing about Roselle Library is:

The size of the library's building sticks out the most to me. Not to mention, memories I have going there when I was younger.

The Library would be better if:

The library would be better off sticking with books instead of online material. Having online material is great, but nothing beats a book.

My Favorite Books:

Wrinkle in Time, Charlie Wilson's War, Under Fire by Oliver North, Celestine Prophecy, Adventures of Huckleberry Finn, any book by Richard Marcinko.

My Favorite Authors:

Richard Marcinko for military novels, but no real preference.

My Favorite Music:

Jazz, 80's music recent pick up, Classic Rock, Alternative.

My Favorite Movies / TV Shows:

Good Will Hunting, Swingers, Dumb & Dumber, Tommy Boy, Elf, Biggest Loser to name a few, but I'm not really a TV/Movie person.

Shawn M. Snyder's Blog

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- Short Courses in the City
- Use of PCs, free Internet and Wireless technology

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The main details page for each item in our collection has a link to a new Reviews feature, which lets you read existing reviews, write your own reviews, and even give ratings.

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Friday, December 19, 2008 9:33:52 AM

Ok so if you still haven't done your Christmas shopping, you probably don't need reminding that there are 6 days left. This year I have it all sorted I am going to be getting everyone a little memory,

All Humans are Born Free and Equal...

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Wednesday, December 10, 2008 2:34:15 PM

The Social Media Do's Explained [31]

1. **Be Polite** – Talk the way you would if you were doing a job interview. [72]
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3. **Be Helpful** – Offering tips, tricks & how-to's goes a long way. [65]
4. **Be Conversational** – Don't just be a PR twit. Chat as you would with a stranger at a bar. Be funny yet interesting. [117]
5. **Be Intelligent** – Provide some value. Don't talk down. Offer insight. [71]
6. **Be Non-confrontational** – Don't start a flame war, it can & will come back to haunt you. [90]
7. **Be Transparent** – Disclose that you work for the company, be honest & truthful. [81]



The Library engages users.

As of December 2008, 11% of online American adults said they used a service like Twitter or another service that allowed them to share updates about themselves or to see the updates of others

Twitter has grown by more than 3,000% in the last year, according to figures from internet monitoring site Hitwise.



**mstephens7**

Name Michael Stephens

Location Mishawaka, IN

Web <http://www.tameth...>

Bio Educator, librarian, blogger. Never stop learning or dreaming.

167

following

2,208

followers

Tweets

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Cyberduck is broken in #snowleopard! DOH!

about 1 hour ago from web

Running errands w [#cooperdog](#) in Mishawaka, IN
<http://loopt.us/trdAfw.t>

about 1 hour ago from Loopt

The blu Ray just did a firmware update and now offers
blockbuster video and you tube in addition to netflix
pandora. The future.

about 18 hours ago from Tweetie

RT [@itsjustkate](#): loving this post on the cult of busy
<http://bit.ly/2LZYFi>

about 18 hours ago from Tweetie

And the there were none + twin peaks – dancing dwarf +
pacific northwest locale + .50 slasher flick + gorgeous cast
= [#harpersisland](#)

about 19 hours ago from Tweetie

RT [@DarynTufts](#): [@Chris_Gorham](#) In this week's
Entertainment Weekly, Stephen King refers to Harper's Island
as his "favorite network show."

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OMG Netflix streams [#harpersisland](#) in glorious HD!!! This is
the future!

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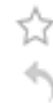
OMG I just realized I can stream [#harpersisland](#) on the big
TV via the blu Ray <http://yfrog.com/0mmrtxj>

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[@mstephens7](#) Congrats on your new Subaru! It's an awesome program, huh? Thanks for choosing us as your charity.



about 12 hours ago from web in reply to mstephens7



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About to take some phone calls in our call center to help with the holiday volume. If you call Zappos today you just might get me answering!

3 minutes ago from txt



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Zappos.com CEO - Tony



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8/11/1809: Up great part of the Night. wife and child sick. Lat: 43-39. Saw nothing. Calm day. Read Mrs Grant's Letters.

about 10 hours ago from web

8/10/1809: Squally Night and rainy Morning. Saw a Ship. Lat: 43-49. Long: 56-30. Read Plutarch's life of Romulus.
<http://is.gd/284KI> (map)

5:56 AM Aug 10th from web

8/9/1809: Fogs and a fresh breeze. Passed a Schooner. Lat: 43-29. Long: 61. Severe Squall while we were at dinner.
<http://is.gd/284zc> (map)

5:30 AM Aug 9th from web

8/8/1809: Thick fogs all day. No observation. Saw a Schooner. Read Langhorne's Life of Plutarch, and began with Theseus.

8:59 AM Aug 8th from web

Some context, media roundup, and a very different perspective at The Beehive today -
<http://www.masshist.org/blo...>

10:25 AM Aug 7th from web

8/7/1809: Fog. No Observation. Spoke a fishing Schooner from Grand Bank, bound to Plymouth. Read Chantreau's travels.

6:21 AM Aug 7th from web

Name John Quincy Adams

Web <http://www.masshi...>

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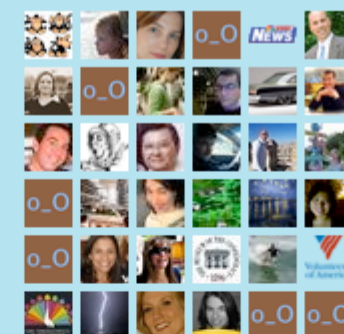
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3:46 PM Nov 27th, 2008 from mobile web



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Voyager down Friday night and Saturday; no media checkout

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Undergrad Edge - UGL Newsletter (March 2008)



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Events:
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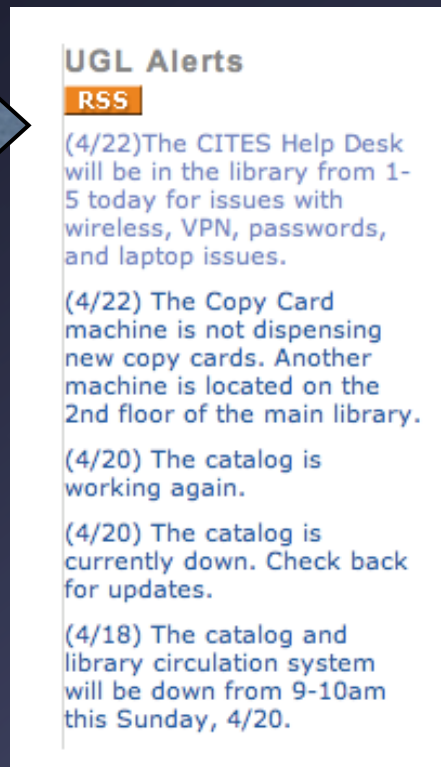


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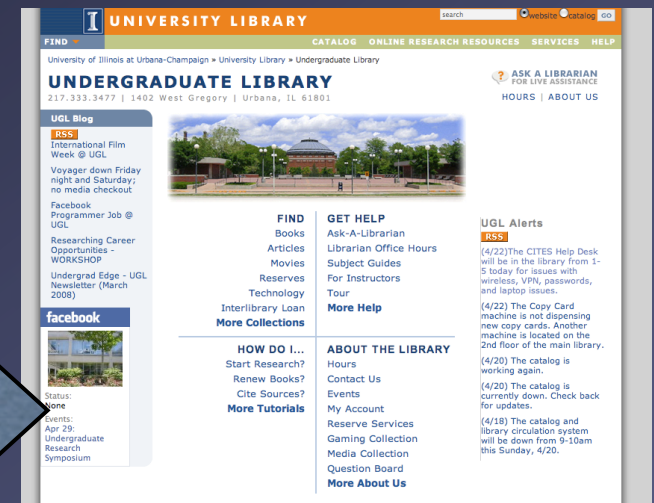
The screenshot shows a Twitter profile for 'askundergrad'. The profile picture is a small image of a building. The bio reads: 'askundergrad'. The stats show: Following 1, Followers 57, Favorites 0, Updates 198. The tweets are as follows:

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mstephens7: [@esotericus](#) Did anyone from **Oak Park Library** contact you about the graphic design collection?

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djwinfo: Speaking at **Oak Park library** @ 10 on national popular vote bills.

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esotericus: Disappointed to learn that the **Oak Park Public Library** is apparently woefully impoverished when it comes to books on graphic design.

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foiledcupcakes: Congrats to [@ShowLola](#) [@aslaughter](#) [@burstaneurysm](#) - **Oak Park Public Library** Admins Rick & Rita get FREE CUPCAKES! DM me [@showlola](#) for deets.

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chi_boardgames: Thursday: Open Gaming at **Oak Park Library**. Saturday: Crossword tournament @ Marbles, Agricola @ Cat N Mouse, Euro Games @ Sky55

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ShowLola: [@foiledcupcakes](#) I'm a librarian at the **Oak Park Public Library** - and I love cupcakes! I'll be sure to visit next time I'm in Naperville.

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wigengine: TODAY: Low-teching it at the **library**. Just me and Dewey Decimal. Hunting photos for **Oak Park** installment of our interview series.

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@mstephens7 Yes, they did, and quite surprisingly, they were very prompt about it. The experience helped me realize the benefits of Twitter.



about 8 hours ago from web in reply to mstephens7

Esotericus

J. Leif Johnson

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@mstephens7 I did :) He has my email so he can send me suggestions; have passed his comment along to our Coll Dev manager.



about 1 hour ago from web in reply to mstephens7



aslaughter

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Headed off to the Santa Fe Library. Any suggestions for good reads?



1:32 PM Apr 9th from web



mbehle

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@n0rbert sorry to hear about your
"lost" item, but happy we bought
some books :) we're getting there!

11:56 PM Mar 11th from web in reply to n0rbert

@snaptography you get your card?

4:00 PM Mar 2nd from web in reply to snaptography

@artisticaya really? sorry to hear that. DM or email me with
details.

3:57 PM Mar 2nd from web

@nici we don't think you're nerdy at all! come on over.

8:14 AM Feb 28th from web in reply to nici

@melissa_e yeah! Happy to hear we won!

1:52 PM Feb 26th from Tweetie in reply to melissa_e

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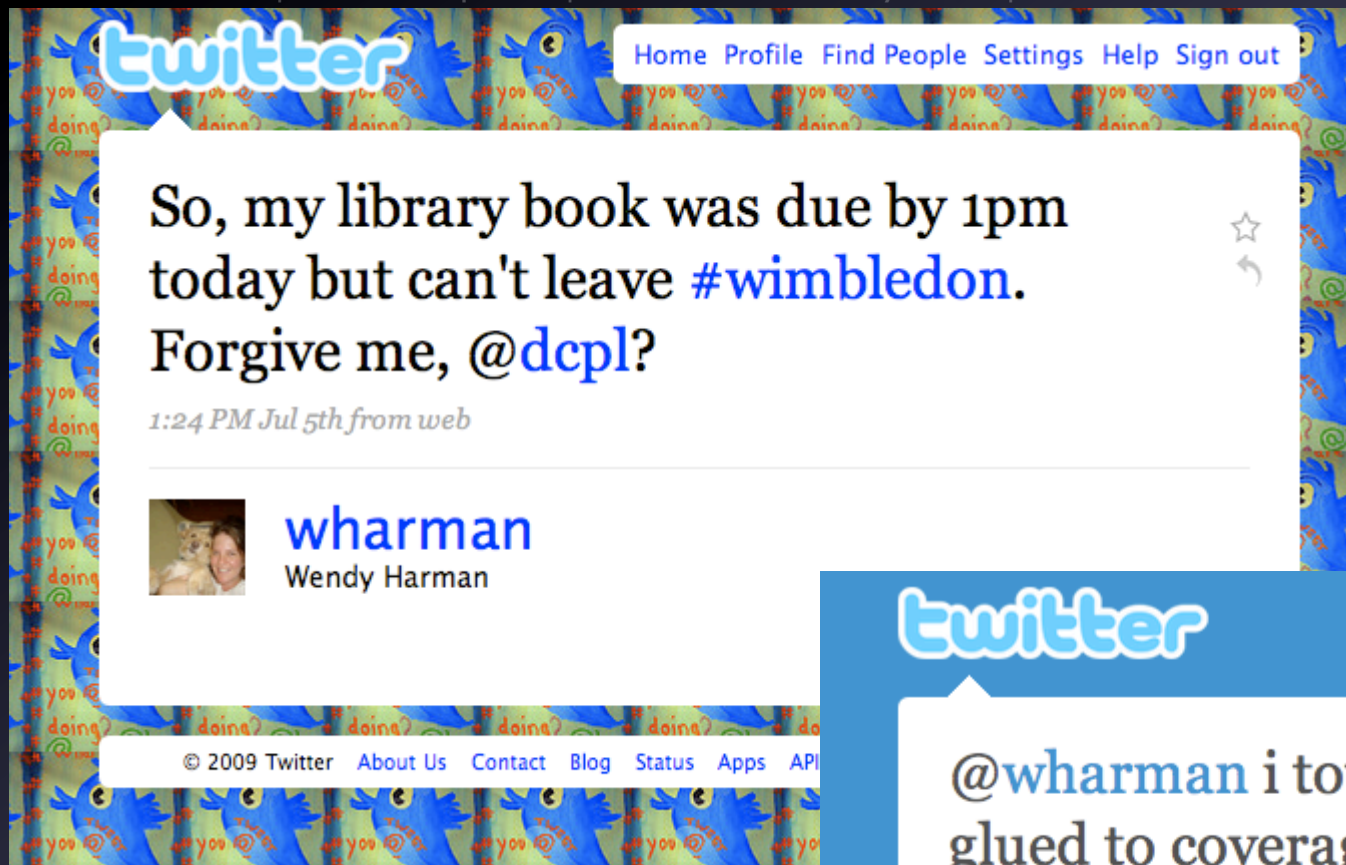


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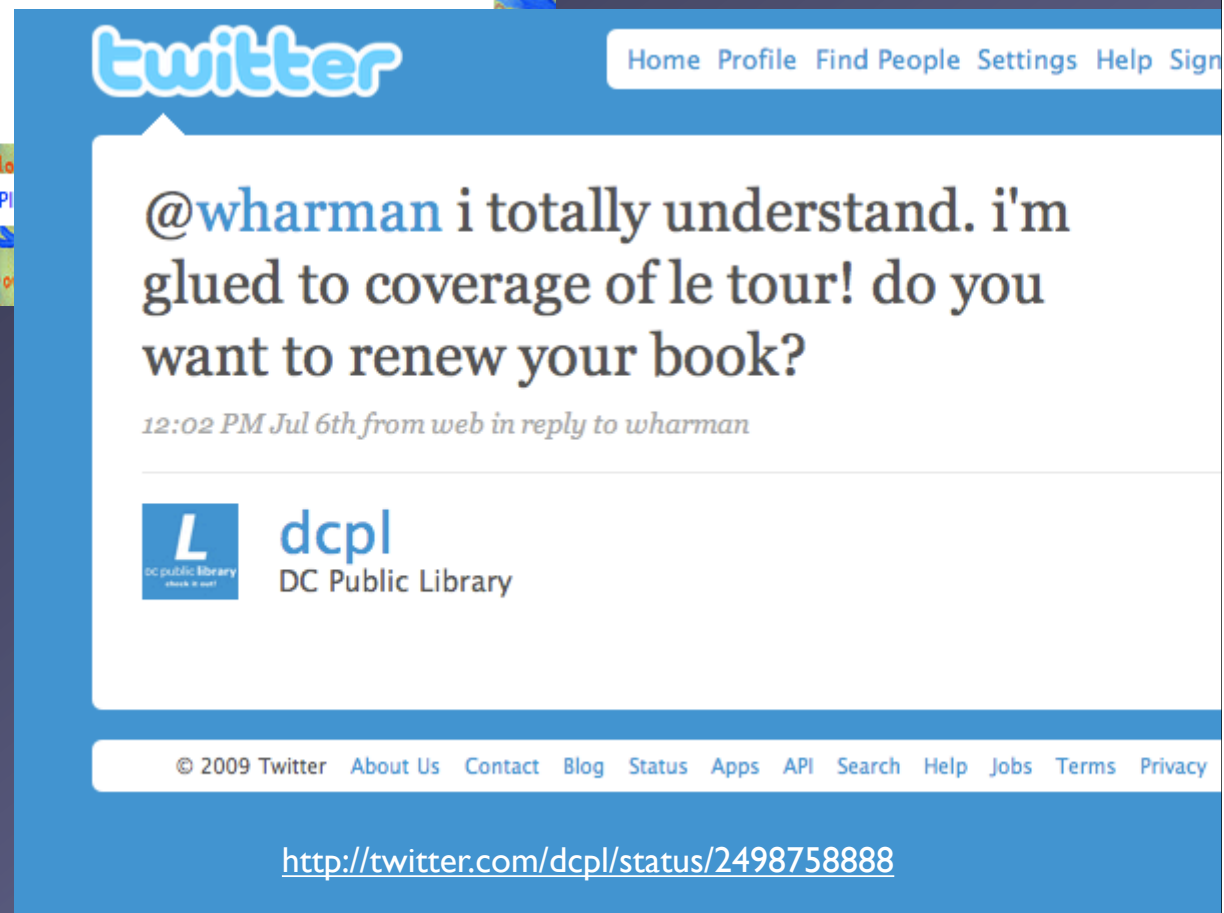
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@dcpl oh, thanks! I went to the library when it was over and they took good care of me. Also, I got The Wire DVDs! Why pay 4 Netflix?



1:16 PM Jul 6th from web in reply to dcpl



wharman
Wendy Harman

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The Library is mobile.

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U.S. chatters sent 1 trillion SMS messages in 2008

<http://tech.yahoo.com/blogs/patterson/44336/ctia-us-chatters-sent-1-trillion-sms-messages-in-2008/>





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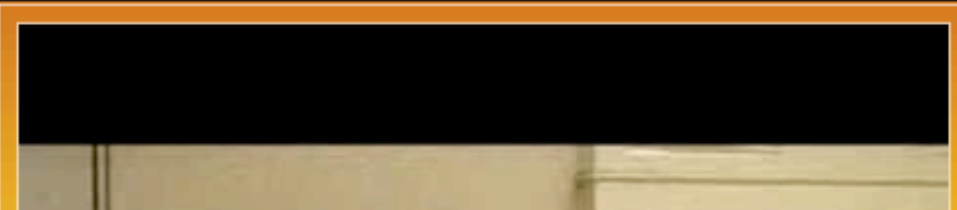
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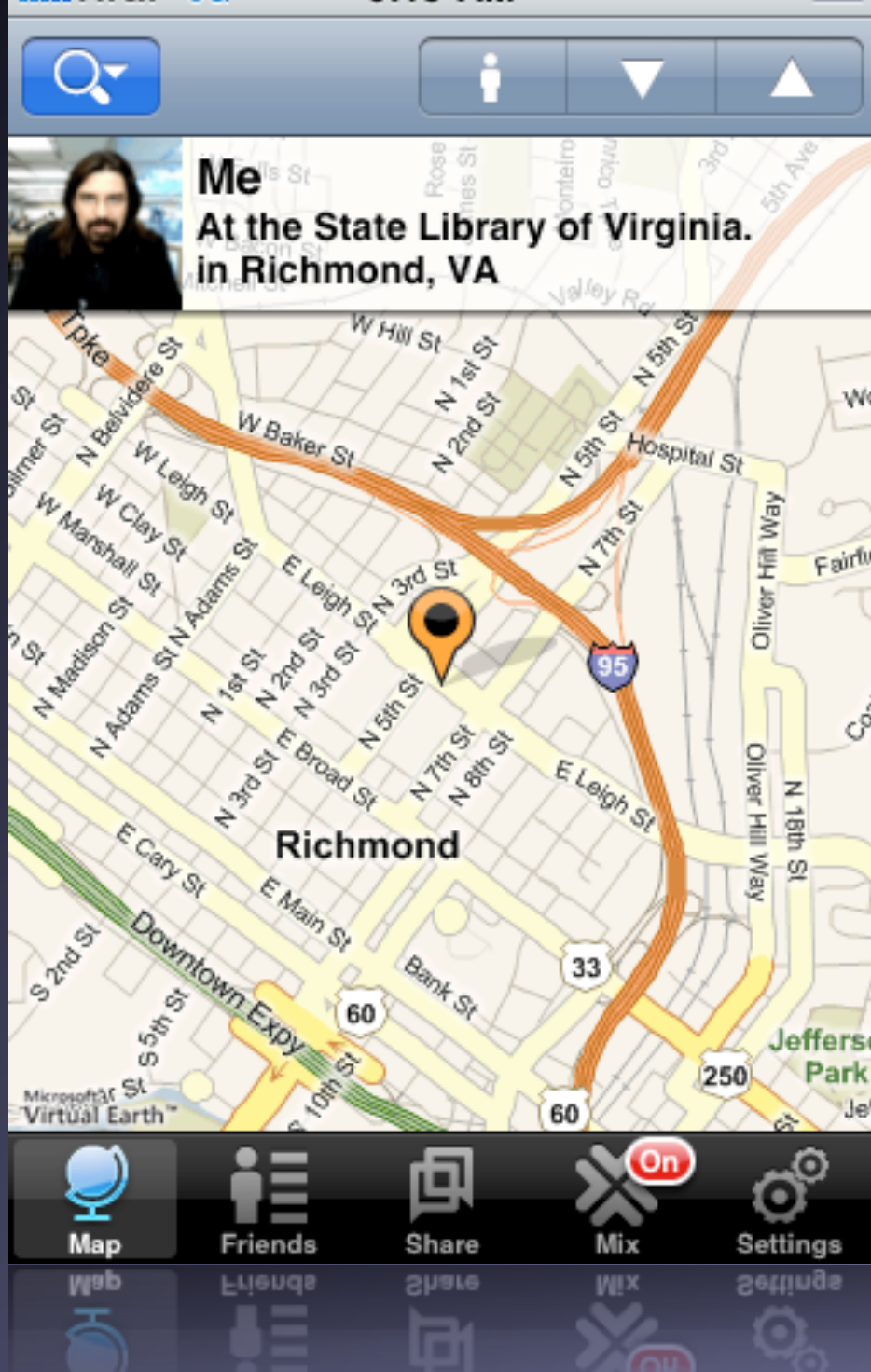
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Here you'll find information about new project, possibly still under development, by the Information Technology Services department of the [DCPL](#). This is a place to learn about new web technologies and the ways that DCPL is meeting the web and information needs of current and future citizens of Washington DC.

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Here at the Lab we're big fans of the iPhone. [Read more](#).

Amino

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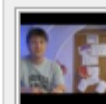
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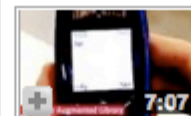
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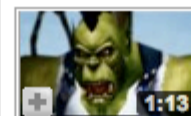
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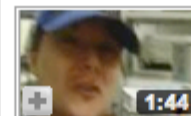
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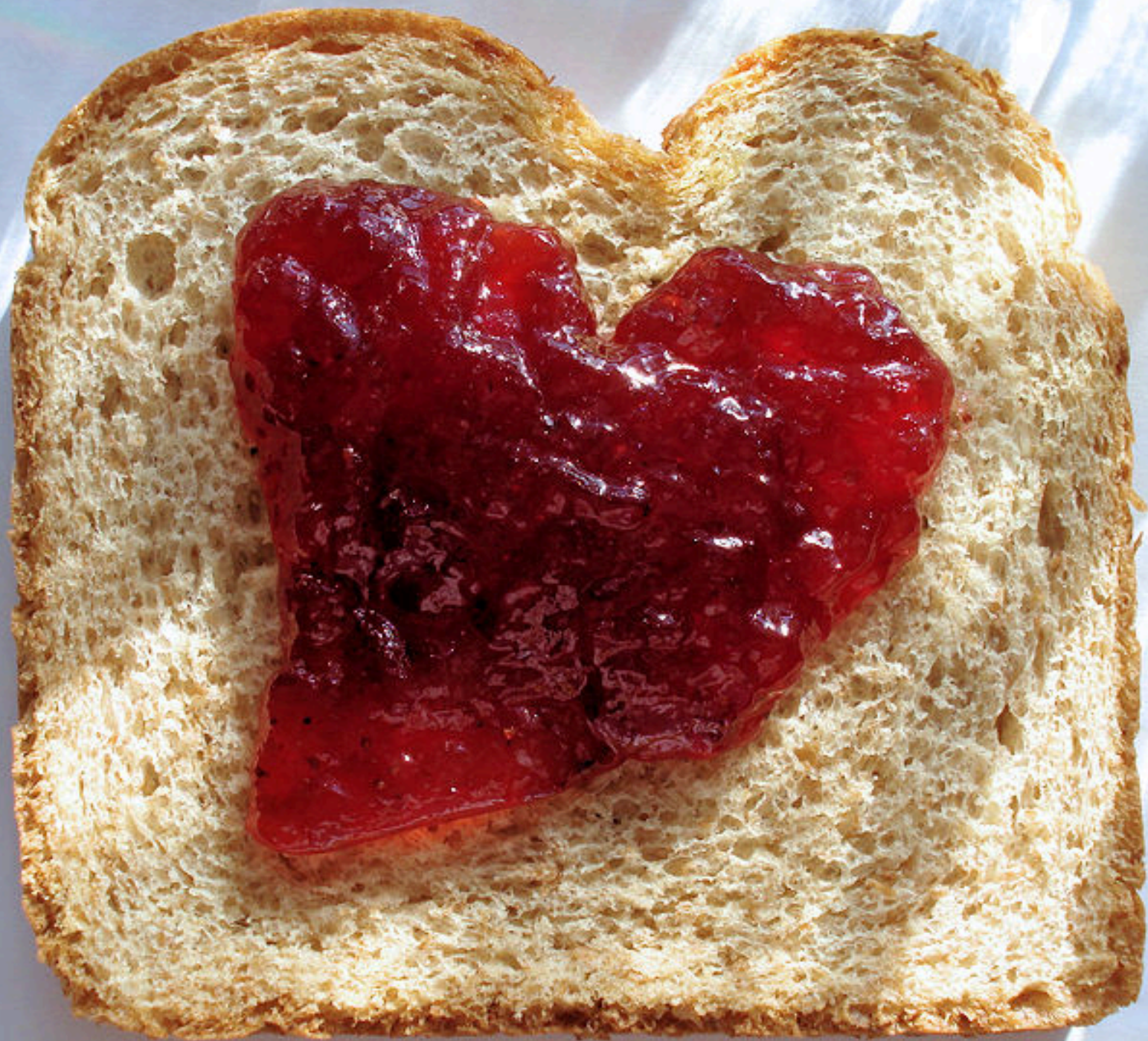
Mindkeepers

Mindspotters

A group of children are jumping joyfully on a beach at sunset. Their silhouettes are dark against the bright, glowing sun which is low on the horizon, creating a lens flare effect. The sky is a mix of blue and orange, with some clouds. The ocean is visible in the background, and the children are on the sandy shore.

The Library encourages the Heart

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“Please bring your heart
with you to work.”

<http://davidwarlick.com/2cents/archives/1228>



“The chief export
of our libraries is
kindness.”

Kate Sheehan
Darien Library

Perform a “Kindness Audit.”

A photograph of a long, straight asphalt road stretching into the distance. The road has a double yellow line down the center and white lines on the sides. The landscape is flat with rolling hills in the background under a clear sky. The text "Have an open door policy." is overlaid in the center of the image.

Have an open door policy.



**DO NOT
DISTURB**

NO MOLESTE

**PRIÈRE DE NE
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Open Door to the Staff

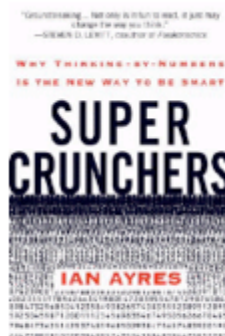
- Participates & learns
- Facilitate open conversation
- Use office hours

Open Door to the World

- Grow your relevance in the community
- Nurture your stakeholders
- Social tools extend your presence

The Library is human.

Tame the \



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Super Crunchers: Why Thinking-By-Numbers Is the New Way to Be Smart
By: Ian Ayres

Why would a casino try and stop you from losing? How can a mathematical formula find your future spouse? Would you know if a statistical analysis blackballed you from a job you wanted? Today, number crunching affects your life in ways you might never imagine. In this lively and groundbreaking new book, economist Ian Ayres shows how today's best and brightest organizations are analyzing massive databases at lightening speed to provide greater insights into human behavior.



Jeff, Livingston Branch

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Here If You Need Me: A True Story
By: Kate Braestrup

What Pat Recommends: Kate Braestrup's remarkable journey from grief to faith to happiness is a dramatic, funny, deeply moving, and simply unforgettable story. She shares her uplifting account of finding God through helping others, and reminds readers of the small miracles that occur every day when life and love are restored.



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By: Susan Vaught

Jersey Hatch can't remember if he rammed the car into his parents' house. He can't remember why his best friend won't speak to him. He can't remember the right words to have a real conversation... and he can't remember why he tried to shoot himself. Chris says this book "was an amazing story that I could not put down. The main character of Jersey pulled me in and I wanted to keep reading so I could take his journey with him." Read it and see if you agree!



Chris, Gahanna Branch

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Bala Subramani and family
Favorite Books: *Dora the Explorer*
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“Everytime people
really like something,
we get rid of it.”

Michael the Eavesdropper



A carefully planned
response to a
changing world.

Think about the
library you are
building for the
future...

Casey & Stephens: <http://www.libraryjournal.com/article/CA6429283.html>

A missed opportunity?

No MySpace, Facebook at Mishawaka library

Director blames behavior of teenagers using Web sites.

SUE LOWE
Tribune Staff Writer

MISHAWAKA -- You can no longer use MySpace, Facebook or other "social networking sites" at Mishawaka-Penn-Harris Public Library.

I wish I had grown up with MySpace and Facebook. I think I would have been a much more social and well-adjusted person. I was shy and uncomfortable, and having a forum in which I could just be “myself” would have been a lifesaver.



How can we go forward?



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Discussion

What other 2.0 Tools or
emerging technologies
are you using in your
library?
And how?

What's the level of
transparency at your
library?

What will take it to the
next level?

What barriers to
innovation do you see
in your library?

How did you break down those barriers?

What unintended
consequences have you
encountered?
Good & Bad?

What good advice
might you share with
the group for engaging
with users online?

What's in your social
media plan?
OR What do you want
to include?

Share some experiences...

...and talking points?

How can we go forward?



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Break down barriers



& Let Go of Control



Ask them what they want.

A photograph of a pitchfork and a shovel leaning against a wooden wall. The pitchfork is on the left, and the shovel is on the right. The wall is made of vertical wooden planks and shows signs of wear and tear, with some peeling paint and a small hole. The lighting is dramatic, with strong shadows.

Try out some emerging tools



Stories have power.

Solve Problems
Don't Create Them

COPYWRITING
INTERFACE
IS
DESIGN

GET
OUT OF
THE
USERS WAY

THE SHORTEST
DETAILS
ADD UP

Plan to plan.

Play.



Learn from success and failure



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Evaluate everything

Advocate for Constant & Purposeful Change

A photograph of a cemetery with numerous tombstones of various shapes and sizes, mostly made of dark, weathered stone. The ground is dry and covered with brown leaves and twigs. The tombstones are arranged in rows, with some in the foreground and others in the background. The lighting is somewhat dim, suggesting an overcast day.

Overthink and die!

A mosaic of the word "IMAGINE" in a circular pattern, surrounded by a ring of red carnations and purple roses. The mosaic is set against a background of a large, stylized sunburst or star pattern. The word "IMAGINE" is written in a bold, serif font, with the letters slightly raised from the mosaic surface. The flowers are scattered around the word, with some purple roses in the center and red carnations forming a ring around the perimeter. The overall composition is symmetrical and visually striking.

IMAGINE

Innovate.

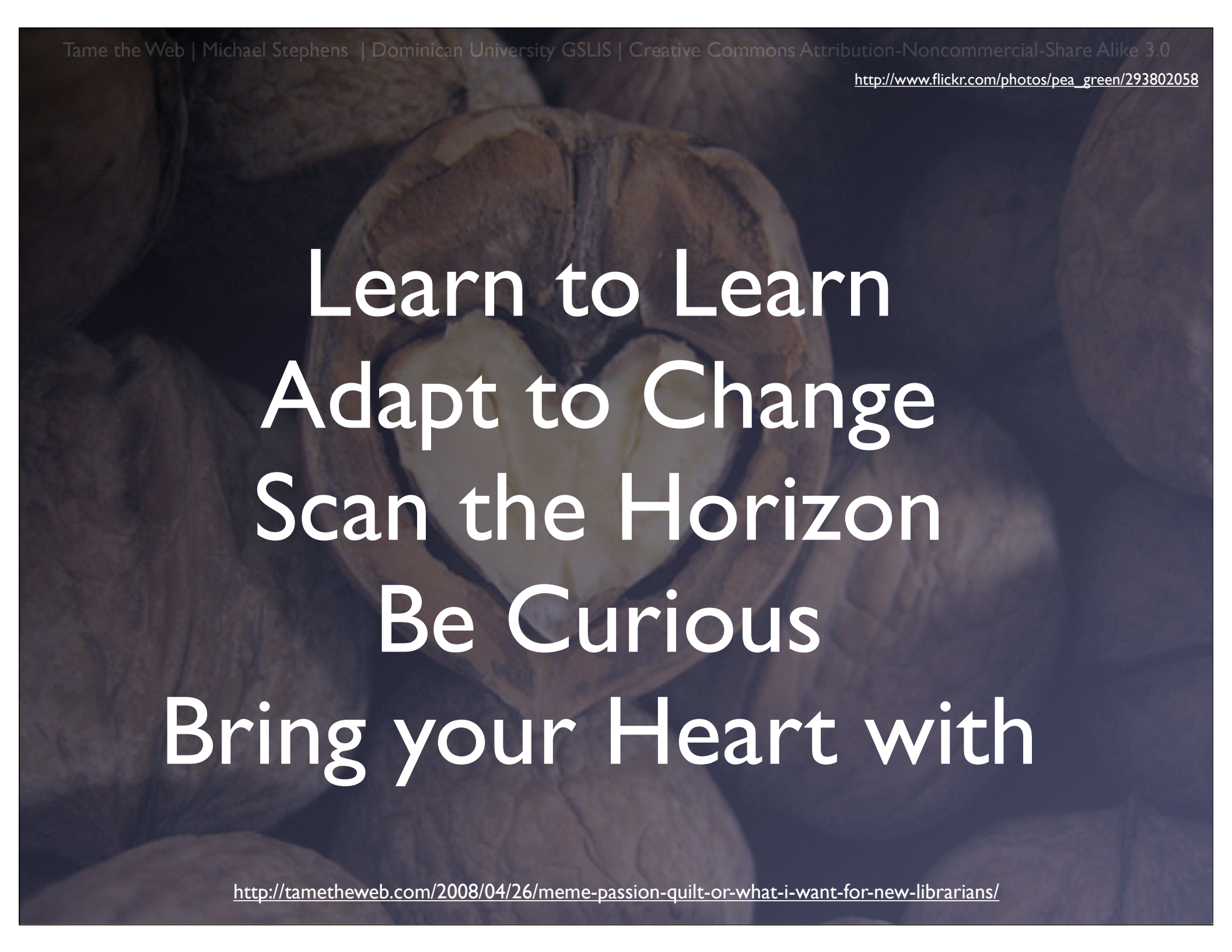
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